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SUBJECT: OASGA VIEWS ON KEY AGENDA ITEMS AND BUDGET ASSESSMENT LEVEL

REF: STATE 045844 AND 042629

1. I MET TODAY WITH THE " MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS" CUTHBERT JOSEPH AND CAREFULLY PRESENTED SUBSTANCE OF BOTH REFS. THIS RELEASED A TORRENT OF WORDS FROM HIM EXPRESSING HIS PERSONAL POINT OF VIEW, WHICH TOLD ME NOTHING. JOSEPH MUST HAVE REALIZED THIS TOO WHEN HE REACHED THE POINT OF COMMENT ON BUDGET ASSESSMENT. HE REQUESTED THAT I PUT BOTH THE ITEM NINE- TEN AND BUDGET QUESTIONS ON PAPER FOR FURTHER STUDY, ALTHOUGH HE ADDED, " MY GOVERNMENT MAY NOT HAVE TIME TO GIVE AN OFFICIAL VIEW ON THESE SUBJECTS BEFORE THE GA; WE TEND TO BE A PRAMATIC STATE". I WILL DO SO.
MARSHALL

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